

108TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1347

To amend the Workforce Investment Act of 1998 to provide for training service and delivery innovation projects.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JUNE 26, 2003

Ms. CANTWELL introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. TRAINING SERVICE AND DELIVERY INNOVA-**
4 **TION PROJECTS.**

5 Section 171(b)(1)(D) of the Workforce Investment
6 Act of 1998 (29 U.S.C. 2916(b)(1)(D)) is amended to
7 read as follows:

8 “(D) targeted innovation projects that im-
9 prove access to and delivery of employment and
10 training services, with emphasis given to

1 projects that incorporate advanced technologies
2 to facilitate the connection of individuals to the
3 information and tools they need to upgrade
4 skills, including projects that link individuals in
5 need of training to opportunities for self-guided
6 learning, and with priority given to projects
7 that—

8 “(i) actively promote sources of infor-
9 mation about training opportunities and
10 training content by providing technology
11 directly to eligible training recipients;

12 “(ii) provide for the conduct of online
13 eligibility determinations for Federal and
14 State training programs, and direct indi-
15 viduals to the appropriate programs in the
16 area; and

17 “(iii) integrate high-quality employ-
18 ment and training services information
19 with the delivery of information regarding
20 other social services and health care pro-
21 grams;”.

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